
3d FEBRUARY, 1803.

Read the first and second time, and ordered to be committed to a Committee of the whole House on Saturday next.

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Supplementary to the Act intituled "An Act providing passports for the ships and vessels of the United States."

1 **Be it enacted**, by the Senate and House of Representa-
2 tives of the United States of America, in Congress assembled,
3 That every unregistered ship or vessel owned by a citizen or
4 citizens of the United States, and sailing with a sea letter, going
5 to any foreign country, shall, before she departs from the United
6 States, at the request of the master, be furnished by the collector
7 of the district where such vessel may be, with a passport of the
8 form prescribed and established by the act to which this is a supple-
9 ment, for which the master shall pay to the collector ten dollars,
10 and be subject to the rules and conditions prescribed in the said
11 act, for ships and vessels of the United States.

1 SECT. 2. *And be it further enacted,* That there shall be paid
2 on every such unregistered ship or vessel, sailing or trading to any
3 foreign country, other than some port or place in America, for
4 each and every voyage, the same sum at the time of clearing out-
5 ward, to be received and accounted for in the same manner as is
6 by said act required in cases of ships and vessels of the United
7 States.

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